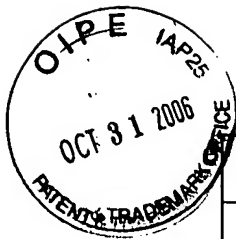
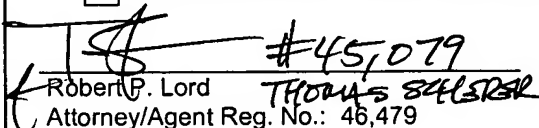


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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated October 20, 2006, please reconsider this application in view of the following.